AMENDMENT

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-38 as follows:

Claim1(currently amended) A method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse, which comprises comprising:

a) transferring an adenovirus vector encoding a first recombinant DNA in which a first promoter of a constitutive strong expression promoter, a gene having recombinase recognition sequences on both ends, and a fluorescence protein gene of a selective marker of a target cell differentiated from an embryonic stem cell strongly expressed by the said first promoter are arranged in this order from a 5' side into an undifferentiated embryonic stem cell;

b) inducing differentiation of said undifferentiated embryonic stem cell into which the first recombinant DNA is stably transferred;

c) transferring and the first promoter makes the fluorescence protein geneexpress, and an adenovirus vector encoding a second recombinant DNA in which a second promoter specifically expressing in a target cell differentiated from an embryonic stem cell, and a recombinase-expressing gene are arranged in this order from a 5' side , respectively, with an adenovirus vector as an episomal form into said embryonic stem cell during a process of differentiation inducement; and

d) isolating a target cell visualized by expression of a fluorescence protein by said first promoter and differentiated from an embryonic stem cell by flow cytometry.

Page 2 of 18 SN: 10/518,861 Atty. Doc. #: 042-301 Claim2(currently amended) The method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse according to claim 1, wherein the recombinase recognition sequence is loxP.

A method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse comprising:

a) transferring an adenovirus vector encoding a first recombinant DNA in which a first promoter of a constitutive strong expression promoter, a gene having recombinase recognition sequences on both ends, and a fluorescence protein gene of a selective marker are arranged from a 5' side, and an adenovirus vector encoding a second recombinant DNA in which a second promoter specifically expressing in a target cell differentiated from an embryonic stem cell, and a recombinase-expressing gene are arranged from a 5' side respectively, into an embryonic stem cell during a process of differentiation inducement; and

b) isolating a target cell visualized by expression of a fluorescence protein by said first promoter and differentiated from an embryonic stem cell by flow cytometry.

Claim3(currently amended) The method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the recombinase recognition sequence is loxP the first promoter is a constitutive strong expression promoter.

Claim4(currently amended) The method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse according to claim 3— 1 or 2, wherein the constitutive strong expression promoter is a CMV promoter or a CA a hybrid promoter of cytomegalovirus enhancer and chicken β actin promoter.

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Claim5 (canceled)

Claim6(currently amended) The method for selectively isolating or visualizing a

target cell in vitro differentiated from a embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse

according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the recombinase-expressing gene is a recombinase

Cre-expressing gene.

Claim7(currently amended) The method for selectively isolating or visualizing a

target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or

mouse according to claim 1 or 2, wherin the second promoter is a Nkx2.5 gene promoter

or an MHC gene promoter.

Claim 8-13(canceled)

Claim 14 (currently amended) An undifferentiated embryonic stem cell in which

the adenovirus vector encoding the first recombinant DNA as defined in claim 1 is

transferred.

Claim 15(currently amended) The An embryonic stem cell during a process of

<u>differentiation inducement</u> in which the adenovirus vector encoding the first

recombinant DNA and the adenovirus vector encoding the second recombinant DNA as

defined in claim 1 are is transferred, respectively.

Claim 16(currently amended) The An embryonic stem cell during a process of

differentiation inducement in which the adenovirus vector encoding the first

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recombinant DNA and the adenovirus vector encoding the second recombinant DNA as defined in claim 2 are transferred, respectively.

Claim 17(currently amended) The An embryonic stem cell according to any one of claim 14 to 16, wherein the embryonic stem cell is derived from a mouse.

Claim 18(currently amended) An adenovirus vector encoding for transferring a gene, which comprises the first recombinant DNA as defined in claim 1 or 2.

Claim 19-20(canceled)

Claim 21(currently amended) An adenovirus vector encoding for transferring a gene, which comprises the second recombinant DNA as defined in claim 1 or 2.

Claim 22-23(canceled)

Claim 24(currently amended) A kit for isolation or visualization used in a method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse, which comprises the adenovirus vector encoding the first recombinant DNA for transferring a gene as defined in claim 1 or 2, and/or the adenovirus vector encoding the second recombinant DNA fortransferring a gene as defined in claim 1 or 2.

Claim 25-26(canceled)

Claim 27(currently amended) The kit for isolation of visualization used in a

Page 5 of 18 Atty. Doc. #: 042-301 method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse, which comprises the <u>undifferentiated</u> embryonic stem cell in which the adenovirus vector encoding the first recombinant DNA is transferred as defined in claim 1, and the adenovirus vector encoding a second recombinant DNA for transferring a gene as defined in claim 1.

Claim 28-29(canceled)

Claim 30(currently amended) The kit for isolation or visualization used in a method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse, which comprises the embryonic stem cell during a process of differentiation inducement in which the adenovirus vector encoding the first recombinant DNA and the adenovirus vector encoding the second recombinant DNA are transferred respectively as defined in claim 1 or 2, the adenovirus vector for transferring a gene as defined in claim 18, and the embryonic stem cell as defined in claim 15.

Claim 31-32(canceled)

Claim 33(currently amended) A cell obtained by the method for selectively isolating or visualizing a target cell in vitro differentiated from an embryonic stem cell of human, monkey or mouse as defined in claim 1 or 2.

Claim 34(original) The cell according to claim 33, wherein the cell is a cell obtained by using a Nkx2.5 gene promoter as the second promoter.

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Claim 35(canceled)

Claim 36(original) A tissue, which comprises the cell as defined in claim 33.

Claim 37-38(canceled)

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